

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 2219 - HB 2705

March 3, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes municipalities, counties, and counties having a metropolitan form of government to regulate smoking and the use of vapor products, including prohibition, by passing a resolution or ordinance, in age-restricted venues that are not retail tobacco stores.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Authorizing certain local entities to regulate smoking and the use of vapor products at age-restricted venues is estimated to have no significant impact on the amount of smoking or vapor products purchased and consumed within the state, but rather where such smoking or vaping products are consumed.
- Any permissive impact on local revenue and expenditures associated with such regulation is unknown. However, it is assumed that local entities will accommodate any regulatory framework within their existing resources.
- No significant fiscal impact on state or local government.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation could impact business activity in age-restricted venues if local governments elect to regulate smoking and the use of vapor products within such establishments.
- However, any impact on the overall business activity is estimated to be not significant. No impact on jobs in this state.

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CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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